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Finch, Rowe Secure \$37,000 for St. Joseph's Manor in Trumbull



Hartford- State Senator Bill Finch (D-Bridgeport) and Representative T.R. Rowe (R-Trumbull) have helped secure \$37,523 in funding for St. Joseph's Manor, a long-term care facility located in Trumbull. The money was awarded by the Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities Authority (CHEFA), in part to fund capital and programmatic needs of existing CHEFA clients and non-profit human services providers. In all, CHEFA has awarded \$4.5 million through this program throughout the state.

"St. Joseph's Manor is a wonderful facility that helps people who are unable to live on their own continue to live with a sense of independence and autonomy while receiving the care they need," **Sen. Finch** said. "I can think of few other facilities that provide the kind of care that St. Joseph's Manor does, and I am happy to be able to help them obtain this funding."

"St. Joseph's Manor is a wonderfully run nursing home that offers top-level care and compassion for so many needy citizens," **Rep. Rowe** said. "I'm pleased to see they are receiving this funding."

The money will be used to continue to improve the caliber of care at St. Joseph's Manor, computerizing and better maintaining all medical records of residents, updating computer technology to reduce labor costs and updating purchasing contracts.

"Over the past two years, this money has proved extremely helpful," **Sen. Finch** said. "I appreciate, as I know St. Joseph's Manor does, this funding and what it helps to accomplish at the facility."

Sen. Finch serves the 22nd Senatorial District, including the communities of Bridgeport, Trumbull, and Monroe. **Rep. Rowe** serves the town of Trumbull.